



Media Advisory

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REPAIR OF REWA MAIN LINE CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN LOWER FALLS PARK

(Greenville SC) City engineers were notified yesterday that a 30-inch ReWa clay main was damaged during test borings conducted as part of the streambank restoration project taking place along the west bank of the Reedy River. ReWa was notified immediately and responded rapidly. The damaged line is located between the cul-de-sac of Furman College Way and the Church Street Bridge, and while both the top and the bottom of the pipe were damaged, there is no evidence that any material leaked into the Reedy River.

ReWa crews worked through the night to monitor the flow and prepare the site to conduct an emergency point repair. ReWa's work to repair the damaged pipe is expected to be completed by the end of the day. In the interest of safety, Furman College Way and the section of the Swamp Rabbit Trail between Cleveland Street and Falls Park have been closed temporarily; however, vehicular and pedestrian access to that area should be restored by week's end.

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